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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 19, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.